

CDOT begins project to improve CO Hwy 172

Work zone is between Ignacio and the US 160 junction - impacting travel to airport

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Colorado Department of Transportation and contractor Oldcastle SW Group, Inc., will have a surface treatment project underway on CO Highway 172 from March 13 through December 2023. Work will take place through the town of Ignacio and north to the US Highway 160 junction at Elmore's Corner.

PROJECT SCHEDULE

Start Date: March 13, 2023 End Date: December 31, 2023

Work Hours: (generally) 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

TRAVEL IMPACTS

- There will be single-lane, alternating traffic Monday - Friday and some weekends throughout the course of the project.
- **Delays up to 20 minutes** can be expected, particularly during paving, depending upon traffic volumes.
- The **speed limit** will be reduced to **40 mph** through the work zone.
- Commuters driving on CO 172, the local route to the Durango-La Plata County Airport (DRO), should allow themselves at least 30 minutes of extra travel time.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Questions or concerns? Contact the project team, and please <u>request to be on the list to receive</u> <u>weekly email updates</u>:

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